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PERSONAL RECORD QUESTIONNAIRE

PART II - OPERATIONAL INFORMATION

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CASE OFFICER:

1. If feasible, subject should fill in Part I of PRQ in his own handwriting.
2. Part II of PRQ, if available, must be filled in by the Case Officer and if not to be shown to subject, Part II should be filled in by the Case Officer.
3. Headquarters will not be able to provide an Operational Clearance unless it receives answers to all questions on page 1 of Part I (items 1 to 12), and to all questions of Part II (items 36 to 38).
4. In emergency these answers, keyed to items 1 to 12 by number, and with summary of Part II, may be sent to Headquarters, followed promptly by pouch with complete data.
5. All completed PRQ must be sent to Headquarters as soon as possible by two copies of Part I (including copy in subject's handwriting, if possible) and copy of Part II.
6. Data acquired later must be sent to Headquarters in PRQ format on continuing basis.
7. All pages of both parts will bear the PRQ number, composed of (a) Station symbol (b) PRQ (c) number assigned consecutively by the field station; e.g. PEA/PRQ/10.

36. Cryptonym: DEKADAL

37. How, when and where was subject first contacted or developed?

Subject was first contacted by his present CIA Case Officer in Italy in 1948 and 1949 and at that time was an Italian citizen.

38. Could subject be turned over quickly and in a secure manner to

someone else for handling? Yes To whom? Another senior American case officer who speaks Italian or Albanian.

39. Best estimate of subject's motivation

Subject, as a prominent emigre leader, desires to remain in contact and cooperate with Americans as he believes that the United States is the only country that can liberate Albania and that the United States would have influence in post-war liberation Albania. At that time Subject would expect favorable treatment of the Kosovo problem and himself for his past cooperation.

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40. With what agencies and files has subject's name been checked? When?

Result? What else has been done to verify biographical information furnished by subject?

No record of any agencies being checked other than CIA. Subject is a well known emigre and biographical details of his life are common knowledge.

41. What control exists over subject at present? How can it be increased?

No effective control exists over subject. He received \$80 a month for his rent. He is planning to immigrate to the United States, and probably believes we could facilitate or hinder his entry.

42. For what service does he think he is working? What does he think

becomes of his information?

American I. S. He knows that information he provides is given to U.S. Government circles.

43. Explain fully subject's past or present connection with any

intelligence service.

Subject was Minister of the Interior in Albania during the German occupation. He has worked with Italian intelligence services during the post-war years and up to the present.

44. What type of information has subject furnished? What type is he

best qualified by education and experience to furnish? Give evaluation of information received.

Subject has provided information concerning Albanian refugee activities and information concerning activities of the Italian intelligence services in the Albanian field. He is considered to be an accurate reliable reporter.

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45. If subject's duties are to be other than intelligence gathering, explain.

None.

46. Has he been given special training as an agent? Explain.

No. Subject has not performed agent duties in the past. From briefings from his case officer he has some knowledge of trade-craft and security.

47. How and from whom does he obtain information?
From his contacts in Albanian emigre circles and Italian Government officials.

48. Is it proposed to pay subject a regular salary? If so, amount per week, month, etc. Explain any other methods of payment, such as exchange commodities.
Subject receives \$80 per month for the rent of his house.

49. Have any promises or commitments whatsoever (not covered elsewhere in this form) been made to subject? Explain.

None.

50. Are subject's language abilities and other characteristics such that he could pass as a native of a country or region other than his own? Explain.

Believed to be none.

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51. What is subject's social standing? Aristocracy, upper middle class, lower middle class, peasantry, etc.?
Subject is the most prominent leader of the Albanians in Kosovo, a region of Yugoslavia inhabited mainly by Albanians.
52. What are subject's personal habits? Liquor, drugs, gambling, mistresses or lovers?
No vicious habits known.
53. Evaluation of subject's character, reliability, security.
He has been described by his case officer as able, honest, extremely sincere, and very dependable. He has steadfastly refused to become a paid agent of any intelligence service in order to maintain his freedom of action to act as he sees fit.
54. With what other foreign power would subject be most likely to collaborate because of his ideology, obligation, etc.? Explain.
Germany. Subject approved of German wartime policies regarding the Kosovo and served as Minister of Interior in the Albanian Government during the German occupation. During the post-war years he has collaborated with the Italian I.S., but he insists not as an agent.
55. What special abilities, talents, or qualifications are possessed by subject which would conceivably be of value for other operations in the future?
As the acknowledged leader of the Kosovars, he could provide agents for future operations. In the event of war, he could probably raise a following in the Kosovo.
56. Attach samples of subject's signature and handwriting in all languages known to him, also a recent, dated photograph, and fingerprints.

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57. How was information in Part I obtained?

From headquarters files.

58. Other miscellaneous operational data and comments.

None

Case officer